

GLYPH GAME

Ancient Egyptians used hieroglyphics for written communication. Create your own hieroglyphics using shapes, numbers, smiley faces, or other pictures. Write your name or other secret message and share with friends or family—who can solve first? (Bonus: Just like some ancient hieroglyphics, write your message from right to left, instead of left to right.)

A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J
K	L	M	N	O
P	Q	R	S	T
U	V	W	X	Y
Z				

Legend has it that the god Thoth, who had the head of the sacred ibis bird, invented all Egyptian arts and sciences, including the writing system of “hieroglyphics,” which is a Greek word meaning “sacred carving.”

